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Fine Art of Children's Book Illustration

The Original Art: Celebrating the Fine Art of Children's Book Illustration

Sept. 7 – Nov. 23, 2014

William D. Cannon Art Gallery

The Original Art is a national annual showcase of the year's best-illustrated children's books published in the U.S. This traveling exhibition celebrates its 33rd year as a showcase for children's book illustrators whose original artwork is seldom seen outside the studio or publisher's office. It consists

of more than 40 colorful works of art from the 2013 Juried Original Art Exhibition at the Museum of American Illustration at Society of Illustrators in New York City.

Gallery visitors can view the original paintings, drawings, prints and collages rarely seen outside an artist's studio. This is a marvelous opportunity to examine the work of the best artists in the field of illustration and a chance to appreciate the enormous range of

creativity in children's books. At the Cannon Art Gallery, the exhibition is expanded to feature several noted Southern California illustrators, including Janell Cannon, Andrea Zimmerman & David Clemesha, Susie Ghahremani, Salina Yoon, Lori Mitchell, Jennifer Hewitson, and Tracy Sabin.

Opening Reception for The Original Art
Saturday, Sept. 6, 5 – 7 p.m.
Hosted by the Carlsbad Friends of the Arts



San Diego illustrator Susie Ghahremani



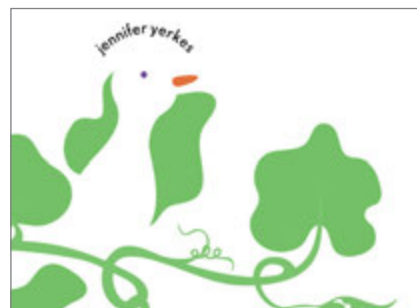
"Once Upon a Memory" illustrated by Renata Liwska



San Diego illustrator Susie Ghahremani "Penguins" for the book "What Will Hatch?" by Jennifer Ward



Carlsbad's own author and illustrator Janell Cannon



Jennifer Yerkes is artist and author

2015 Juried Biennial

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Dec. 14, 2014 – Feb. 7, 2015
William D. Cannon Art Gallery

More than 500 artists have been featured in the Cannon Art Gallery’s Juried Exhibitions over the past 16 years. The Juried Biennial has become recognized as one of San Diego County’s most significant showcases for both emerging and career-established artists. The resulting shows are lively, sumptuous, elegant and playful, featuring a wide range of media and a freewheeling array of artistic ideas and attitudes. Guidelines for submitting works are available at www.carlsbadca.gov/arts, with a deadline of Friday, Oct. 17. Submission to the exhibition is open to artists who live, work or have a studio in San Diego County.

The 2015 Biennial jurors are Tina Yapelli and John D. Spiak. As director of the University Art Gallery at San Diego State University, Professor Tina Yapelli, has originated more than 60 exhibitions there, presenting contemporary art by regional, national and international artists. John Spiak is director and chief curator of California State University Fullerton’s Grand Central Art Center in Santa Ana. While serving at the Arizona State University Art Museum (1994–2011), he curated museum exhibitions and the residency series Social Studies and founded the annual Short Film and Video Festival.

Reception for 2015 Juried Biennial
Saturday, Dec. 13, 5 – 8 p.m.
Hosted by the Carlsbad Friends of the Arts

Landsailors: Neal Bociek
Through January 2015
Monday – Thursday
9 a.m. to 4 p.m. **FREE**
Carlsbad Sculpture Garden
Cultural Arts Office, 2955 Elmwood Dr.

This charming outdoor exhibition of imaginary land and sea transportation machines is attracting scores of visitors into the Carlsbad Sculpture Garden daily. Ten steel assemblages saturated in vivid powder-coated colors evoke immediate sensations of sailing, boating, flying and cycling, awakening the child in observers of every age. There’s a serious intent behind the San Diego artist’s playful take on vehicles, as he uses found objects to provide new ways of thinking about our environment and our precious water resources. When you visit the Sculpture Garden, be sure to stop inside the Cultural Arts Office and view the latest works by members of the Carlsbad-Oceanside Art League, on display throughout our walls and halls.



Bociek photo from the Sculpture Garden



Bociek photo from the Sculpture Garden



2013 Juried Biennial — Dan Adams, Lemons, oil



Bociek photo from the Sculpture Garden

Creative Fun at Summer Arts Camps

The Cultural Arts Office offers high-quality arts experiences to children ages 7 to 12 over the summer, unique opportunities to explore art, music, theater, dance and nature. This year at Creative Arts Camp, children played and learned through drawing, painting, music, theater and dance, taught by our engaging arts instructors, Stephanie DeYoung (theater) and Tami Noorzay (visual arts). The very popular Club Pelican program introduced campers to new birds, insects and other crawl creatures at the Batiquitos Lagoon with naturalist Karen Hoyle. Then they re-created their discoveries in artworks with instructors Tami Noorzay and Nicole Nelson.



Our special thanks goes to our partner, the Batiquitos Lagoon Foundation, its board members, docents, and especially on-site coordinator P.J. Fagaly for longtime support of these meaningful arts education programs.

And it isn’t summer camp without camp counselors! These terrific young people assisted throughout the duration of the camp programs. We can’t thank them enough and we hope to see them back next year!



- Aimee Buc
- Alex Sonck
- Allison Goethals
- Aly Pelka
- Anahita Pestonjamasp
- Claire Harelson
- Daniel Chagnon
- Daniel McGuire
- Devin Gaan
- Grace Busby
- Heather Lynch
- Karina Hull
- Keaton Axtell
- Kristin Kitch
- Marcella Zizzo
- Nicole Timofeevski
- Nineveh O’Connell
- Stephenie Jones
- Tiffany Shepard



Family Open Studios on-the-go

Neighborhood Arts Day
Sunday, Sept. 14 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. **Free**
Pine Park, Chestnut Avenue and
Madison Street

Neighborhood Arts Day strengthens residents' connection to their community through the arts. The Cultural Arts Office joins the City of Carlsbad's Housing & Neighborhood Services Department to celebrate the vibrancy of Barrio Carlsbad, teaching the traditional art of papel picado, hand-cut designs on colorful paper. Other art activities include the installation of a new community mural on the Carlsbad Boys & Girls Club east wall on Roosevelt Street, local visual artists turning area utility boxes into colorful works of art, and the creation of a large-scale painting on canvas led by the artists collective Art Miles. Meanwhile, Fiesta del Barrio adds to the fun with music, dancing, food and games.



ArtSplash
Sept. 27 and 28, Saturday 10 a.m. – 6 p.m., Sunday 10 a.m. – 5 p.m. **Free**
Armada Drive, above the Flower Fields

A two-day community-wide celebration of the arts centered on the colorful centuries-old European tradition of chalk art street painting. ArtSplash includes artist displays and demonstrations, hands-on activities for all ages, street entertainment, continuous music and great food. Families can join talented Cultural Arts Office educators and volunteers in creating colorful personal sculptures. For the ArtSplash schedule and more details, visit www.carlsbadartsplash.org.
Aimee Buc



Carlsbad Sculpture Garden
Saturday, Oct. 18, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m. **Free**
Carlsbad Arts Office, 2955 Elmwood St.

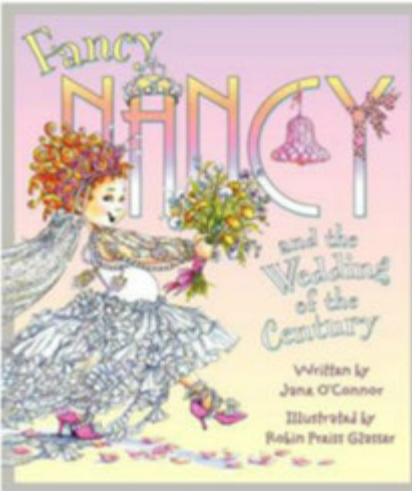
Our popular art-making program visits the Carlsbad Sculpture Garden. The vibrant, fanciful works by sculptor Neal Bociek will set imaginations spinning. Everything needed for your burst of family creativity is provided; art activities are designed for all ages, and you can stay as long as you like.



Fancy Tea pARTy

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Saturday, Oct. 11, 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. **Free**
Carlsbad City Library courtyard, 1775 Dove Ln.

Every little girl who likes feather boas, tutus and sparkly shoes will dance at the chance to enjoy tea with Robin Preiss Glasser, beloved illustrator of "Fancy Nancy." Ms. Preiss Glasser was named 2013 Illustrator of the Year for Fancy Nancy and the Mermaid Ballet after more than 1 million young people cast votes in the sixth annual Children's Choice Book Awards. The Cultural Arts Office partners with Barnes & Noble's Oceanside store to present the event, which includes art-making projects, a book signing session and refreshments. A reading by the Guest of Honor takes place at noon in Schulman Auditorium; due to limited seating, 215 admission tickets will be distributed on a first come, first served basis starting at 10:30 a.m.



Family Open Studios Plus
Saturday, Nov. 8, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.
Performances at 11:45 a.m. and 1:15 p.m. **Free**
Carlsbad City Library courtyard and Schulman Auditorium, 1775 Dove Lane

At these delightful all-ages art-making events, children and grownups explore creativity together. First, tour the accompanying exhibition in the William D. Cannon Art Gallery, an enchanting collection of artwork created for children's book illustrations by some of the country's finest artists. Young readers are almost sure to find some of their favorites on display. Outside, talented art educators and volunteers help everyone on an art project related to the exhibition. Family Open Studios provide high-quality art materials in a wide range of media, but it's perfectly fine to just pick up a colored pencil and go for self-expression!



The "Plus" at this event is Gustafer Yellowgold's Show, a multimedia performance of live music, animated illustrations and storytelling. Creator Morgan Taylor introduces the video star Gustafer, who hails from the sun and explores the world from his home in the Minnesota woods. Recently named "Best Kids' Performer" by New York Magazine, Gustafer has hit DVDs and touring performances that delight audiences everywhere. Admission is free but seating is limited.

Family Open Studios is funded by the Carlsbad Friends of the Arts. "Plus" programs are made possible by the Carlsbad Library and Arts Foundation's Robert H. Gartner Cultural Endowment Fund.



A Great Tradition with a Few New Spins



TGIF 2014: A Great Tradition with a Few New Spins

It was another wonderful summer of music and friends at TGIF in 2014, with big crowds happily listening and dancing to great bands. And some significant firsts seemed to please everyone. TGIF made its debut at the new Alga Norte Community Park, which was an immediate hit with concertgoers. Expanded onsite food service also proved popular, as new vendors provided pizza, barbeque and frozen yogurt alongside the Boy Scouts' traditional hot dogs and hamburgers. There were eight new groups in the lineup, and each was some audience members' "best concert ever!" And for the first time in 29 years of TGIF — rain! Just a quick pre-concert sprinkle that reminded everyone how lucky we are to live in Carlsbad and share sunny Friday evenings at TGIF!



A Great Tradition with a Few New Spins



CFA Does It Again, Better Than Ever!

With Friends like ours, success is inevitable! The Carlsbad Friends of the Arts set some challenging goals for themselves and wound up with a personal record for the season. Each prize for the opportunity drawing was packed with gifts and goodies worth more than \$450. Ticket sales and Friends memberships saw great gains, and our major supporters were significant contributors to TGIF. Here are some of the people and businesses who stepped up to make a difference in our community.



- TICKET SELLERS**
 Jerry Carp
 Eva Marshall
 Alan Rock
 Bill Laird
 Jayne Hall
 Lisa Kaufman
 Rusty Rack
 Robert McMahon
 Sandy Radom
 An Lu
 Betty Ritter
 Gary Menely



- OTHER TGIF VOLUNTEERS**
 Sandy Guendert
 Jackie Stone
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 Joan and Allan Clark
 Ruth Kadison
 Naomi and Alan Marblestone
 Dottie and Bill Demmers
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Be a Part of Art!
Join the Friends

The Carlsbad Friends of the Arts is a non-profit group dedicated to making the arts an integral part of the community experience.

Founded in 1987, their mission is to promote and support the activities of the City of Carlsbad's Cultural Arts Office. Through TGIF Concerts' opportunity drawings, the Friends raise funds (\$60,000 in 2013!) that assist TGIF, Family Open Studios, Three-Part-Art field trips and exhibition receptions. So make some new friends: become a Carlsbad Friend of the Arts yourself!

For additional information call 760-434-2903 or email Info@CarlsbadFriendsOfTheArts.com

Please fill out, detach, enclose check and mail to:
Carlsbad Friends of the Arts
1200 Carlsbad Village Drive
Carlsbad CA 92008-1989

My \$25 Annual Membership is enclosed.

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Community Arts Grants

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Workshop for Applicants:
Tuesday, Sept. 16, 5 p.m. Gowland Meeting Room,
Carlsbad City Library complex

The Cultural Arts Office makes annual awards of matching grants to nonprofit organizations and to schools for arts and cultural events, programs and activities taking place in Carlsbad. We've updated our application process and potential applicants are encouraged to attend a free workshop on creating successful proposals. The deadline to apply for funding in 2015 is Monday, Oct. 27, 2014.

Applications are available online at www.carlsbadca.gov/arts or by request at 760-434-2920.

Foreign Film Fridays

Fridays, 7 p.m. Free
Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium

The Cultural Arts Office presents a new film series: the best of worldwide cinema twice each month! Chosen for their charm and accessibility, these international award winners are friendly, entertaining introductions to other cultures and locales and the varied experiences and shared emotions of people across the globe.



Community Arts Grant recipient Carlsbad Community Theatre



The best of worldwide cinema

Oct. 3: "The Lunchbox"

(India, 2014, PG) Ila tries to spice up her marriage; 2014's top US box office foreign film.

Oct. 17: "Run Lola Run"

(Germany, 1998, R) A woman's intense pursuit to save her boyfriend; Audience Award/ Sundance Film Festival.

Nov. 7: "The Intouchables"

(France, 2011, R) Disarming friendship of an opera-loving quadriplegic and his ill-mannered Senegalese caretaker.

Nov. 21: "Chinese Take-Away"

(Argentina, 2011, NR) Stranded in Buenos Aires, a young Chinese immigrant meets a hermit-like Spanish shopkeeper.

Jan. 9: "Shall We Dance?"

(Japan, 1997, PG) This charming original inspired a Hollywood remake: an unhappy Japanese accountant's secret ballroom dance lessons.

Jan. 23: "Kolya"

(Czech Republic, 1996, PG-13) A failed get-rich-quick scheme, a settled bachelor, a mischievous 5-year-old; Academy Award for Best Foreign Film.

Supported by the Robert H. Gartner Fund of the Carlsbad Library and Arts Foundation.

Opera

Opera Previews

Saturdays, 10 a.m. Free
Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium

Now in its 14th year, Dr. Ron Shaheen's popular, media-augmented lectures on San Diego Opera productions expand! The series features two Met Live cinema series operas, two San Diego Opera productions and a much requested reprise of the professor's physiological exploration of The Art of the Singer. SDO lectures take place on production opening dates; Met Live lectures take place one week prior to showings by select local cinemas.

Oct. 4 - Met Live:

"Macbeth"

Nov. 29 - Met Live:

"Die Meistersinger von Nurnberg"

Jan. 24 - The Art of the Singer:

How Vocal Opera Happens

Feb. 14 - San Diego Opera:

"Don Giovanni"

Mar. 14 - San Diego Opera:

"Nixon in China"

Supported by the Robert H. Gartner Fund of the Carlsbad Library and Arts Foundation.

National Arts Month Concert:

"Masterworks for Piano Trio"

Sunday, Oct. 26, 2 p.m. Free

Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium

The nation dedicates October as Arts and Humanities Month. In Carlsbad, we celebrate by offering a free concert with the exceptional local pianist Glenn Vanstrum and his gifted friends. This fall, he invited one of our area's most notable violin mentors, Wendy Loeb, and La Jolla Symphony cellist Janet White to form a tantalizing instrumental trio. The Vanstrum/Loeb/White Trio has created a delectable repertoire for piano, violin and cello of early, late and post-Romantic era works by Schubert, Brahms, Frank Bridge and Ernest Bloch.



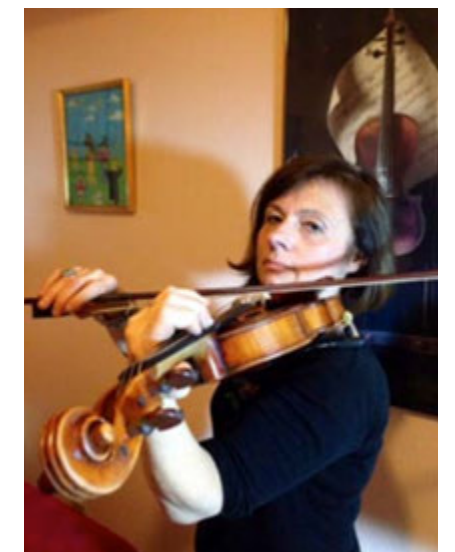
Janet White



Glenn Vanstrum



"Nixon in China," credit: Ken Howard



Wendy Loeb



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Useful Information

The Cultural Arts Office and the Sculpture Garden are located at 2955 Elmwood, just a few steps north of the Cole Library.

Mailing address: 1200 Carlsbad Village Drive, Carlsbad, CA 92008
Phone: 760-434-2920

Office hours:
Monday-Friday 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

The William D. Cannon Art Gallery and the Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium are located in the Carlsbad City Library complex at 1775 Dove Lane Carlsbad, CA 92011

Gallery hours:
Tuesday - Saturday 11 a.m. – 5 p.m.
Sunday 1 p.m. – 5 p.m.
Phone: 760-602-2021

For up-to-date information about Arts Office programs, check us out on the city's website:

www.carlsbadca.gov/arts



Andrew York



Diego Figueiredo



Erik Mongrain



Brian Gore

Plan Ahead for More Great Programs!

International Guitar Night

Tuesday, Feb. 17, 7 p.m.
Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium

Three great guitarists join International Guitar Night founder Brian Gore in a night of globe-straddling acoustic virtuosity: classical innovator Andrew York, Brazilian jazz icon Diego Figueiredo, and French-Canadian steel string wizard Erik Mongrain. Always a sell-out! Discount for Carlsbad Friends of the Arts/Library. Tickets: 760-438-5996 or www.museumofmakingmusic.org

This Is Jazz!

Saturday, Feb. 14, March 14, April 11,
May 9, 4 p.m. **Free**
Ruby G. Schulman Auditorium

KSDS Jazz 88.3 FM joins our acclaimed series on America's original music. On-air hosts invite top jazz artists to perform and discuss all things jazz! Programs will be announced in January, 2015.